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RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 25, 2008, the time for responding thereto having expired September 25, 2008 being extended by one month to October 25, 2008 pursuant to the attached petition, we respectfully ask that you please reconsider the objections and rejections in view of the attached substitute specification, accompanying clean version of the specification, and the following amendments and remarks.